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In re Application of:
SUMITADA YAMAMOTO

Docket No.: 00684.003549

Application No.: 10/722,483

Examiner: D. Rutledge

Filed: November 28, 2003

Group Art Unit: 2851

For: EXPOSURE APPARATUS AND

Date: March 16, 2005

PURGING METHOD FOR THE SAME

MAIL STOP ISSUE FEE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.312 in the above-identified application.

X No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED							
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	
TOTAL CLAIMS	4	MINUS	20	= 0	x \$25 \$50	\$ -0-	
INDEP. CLAIMS	2	MINUS	3	= 0	x \$100 \$200	\$ -0-	
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$180°/\$360							
	\$ -0-						

°Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.

	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.						
X	Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 00 1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.						
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the fee for a month extension is enclosed.						
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.						
X	Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.						
	Respectfully submitted,						
	Attorney for Applicant Scott D. Malpede Registration No. 32,533						

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PATENT APPLICATION

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SUMI	TADA YAMAMOTO)	
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.312

Sir:

Applicant, having received a Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due mailed December 16, 2004, and paying the Issue Fee concurrently herewith, respectfully requests that the above-identified application be amended as follows: